

WASHINGTON, D. C., SUNDAY, DECEMBER 14, 1913.

Society

Holiday Spirit Cheers Society

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THE holiday spirit is charging the social atmosphere with more vim and vigor, and from now until Christmas there will be plenty of entertainments to keep every one busy. The woman of fashion these days can never find an idle hour. In the morning she shops, in the afternoon pays flying calls, drops in at a tea or reception, then home in time to dress for dinner, which is sometimes followed by a theater party, but more often by a dance, and not until the "cold gray dawn" of another day appears is she permitted to go to bed.

The numerous conventions and congresses which have met in Washington recently have brought many strangers here, and much entertaining, formal and informal, has been done in their honor when they were at leisure. But the casual visitor to the National Capital seldom sees beyond the surface in the social intercourse here.

Washington in its way is unique. It has now become the social center of the United States in the same way that Paris focuses the attention of Frenchmen living elsewhere. Hundreds of residents of Washington have accomplished their life work or achieved fame in other cities before coming here for relaxation and enjoyment.

Many sets are represented in Washington's complex society. Eminent scientists, musicians, artists, whose names are household words, are now residing here, as well as members of the Diplomatic Corps and political and official life, officers of the army and navy, the resident circle, and the so-called "smart set." In no other city is so much attention paid to society and its doing, and the larger Washington grows the more its society divides into cliques. The hostess who brings these sets and cliques together in her drawing-rooms in one harmonious whole deserves the title "social leader."

Cynics may object to count social leadership lightly, but it means a great deal to every thinking person, and the lives of women who attain it are as important in their influence on society as those of dominating statesmen on the political aspect of their era.

The real leaders of society are not always those heralded as such, nor are they necessarily those whose husbands occupy high official positions. In fact, since the days of Dolly Madison who, as the "Widow Madison," ruled society so long and so tactfully, the acknowledged society leaders have been women who attained that position after the death of their husbands, and personal magnetism and tact have been their chief assets in attaining that leadership.

The salon, which obtained during the lifetime of Mrs. Ogle Taylor and Mrs. Dahlgren, the wife of Admiral Dahlgren, followed by that of Mrs. McCullister Laughton and Mrs. Harriet Lane Johnson, awaits another accomplished leader.

There have been many changes in Washington's kaleidoscopic and cosmopolitan society during the past year, and it is still a debatable point as to who will become the social arbiter of the future. The National Capital is to be congratulated on the many brilliant and cultivated women who make Washington their home.

A number of notable entertainments marked last week. The reception to the President and Mrs. Wilson at the Congressional Club, the dinner-dance at the German Embassy last night, and the reception Thursday afternoon, given by Mrs. Henry F. Dimock for her son-in-law and daughter, the Counselor of the Italian Embassy and Mme. Catalani, started the social ball rolling. The enthusiastic debutante, too, had her fun, and many enjoyable teas were given in their honor.

A great deal of the entertaining this winter will be done by the members of the Diplomatic Corps. The French Ambassador and Mme. Jusserand and the German Ambassador and Countess von Bernstorff are already noted for their generous hospitality, and they are planning delightful social calendars for the winter. The arrival of the Ambassador of Austria-Hungary and Mme. Dumba will also be the signal for much hospitality, as they will be extensively entertained.

The President and Mrs. Wilson will give their first Cabinet dinner of the season on Thursday night, when the members of the President's "official family" will be their guests. They entertained the Cabinet officers and their wives at dinner at the White House last spring.

Dinners will play their allotted part in affairs social this winter. In fact, another busy Washington season has once again commenced, and invitations are being issued for six weeks ahead, so that anxious hostesses can be sure of securing the desired guests.

The dance at Raucher's tomorrow night for the benefit of the free wards of Columbia Hospital will be one of the smartest affairs given this winter. An unusual feature will be a dancing contest for which handsome prizes have been donated. The judges of the contest are to be Mrs. Arthur Lee, Col. Frank Denny, and Mr. T. J. B. Fuller.

The dance is given under the management of the board of lady visitors of the Columbia Hospital. The tickets are in great demand.

Mrs. Henry W. Fitch, president of the board; Mrs. Junius MacMurray, secretary, and Mrs. Lawrence Heap will receive the guests.

Many dinner parties will be given tomorrow night, the guests going later to the dance.

Miss Wilson Embassy Guest

The German Ambassador and Countess von Bernstorff entertained at a charming dinner last night at the embassy in Massachusetts avenue.

Their guests included Miss Eleanor Wilson, youngest daughter of the President and Mrs. Wilson; Miss Nona MacDon, the debutante daughter of the Secretary of the Treasury; Miss Gladys Ingalls, Miss Frances Lyppitt, Miss Elsie Aldrich, Miss Julia Meyer, Miss Cecilia May, Miss Harriet Southern, Miss Margaret Perin, Mr. D. G. Osborne, third secretary of the British Embassy; Mr. von Tuhlmann and Baron Eitz of New York; Mr. Henry du Pont, Mr. Henry Coleman May, Mr. John C. White, Baron von Lerner, Baron Philip von Berckheim and Mr. William von Rath, attaches of the German Embassy, and Count Gunter von Bernstorff, son of the hosts.

Gen. and Mrs. William Crozier were hosts at a dinner last night at their residence in Massachusetts avenue.

Mrs. W. W. Dixon gave a large dinner in the palm room at the New Willard last night. Her guests included Maj. Gen. and Mrs. William P. Bliddle, Representative and Mrs. William Cullip, Judge and Mrs. William Bailey Lamar, Col. and Mrs. John Thompson, Col. and Mrs. Tate, Lieut. and Mrs. Rhoads, Mrs. A. S. Burleson, Mrs. Marix, Miss Lucy M. Jones, Capt. Hilary P. Jones, U. S. N.; Capt. Servier, former Representative John Wesley Gaines, and Mr. James Phelan, of San Francisco, Cal.

The French Ambassador and Mme. Jusserand entertained informally at luncheon yesterday at the embassy in the Avenue of the Presidents.

Miss Trout Makes Debut

Brig. Gen. and Mrs. A. S. Burt were hosts at a charming reception yesterday afternoon at their apartment at the Portner, when they presented their attractive granddaughter, Miss Dorothy Trout, to society. The rooms were ablaze with pink roses, and the many fragrant bouquets sent the pretty debutante, Miss Dorothy Trout, to the top of the social ladder.

Mrs. Burt received her guests in a gown of lavender satin and point lace. Mrs. Trout, mother of the debutante, wore black satin and jet with touches of cerise velvet. The debutante was attired in a costume of shell pink crepe meteor, trimmed with shadow lace, and she carried a bouquet of pink and white roses. Mrs. Burt, Jr., had on pale blue broadcloth velvet edged with black fur. Gen. and Mrs. Burt were assisted in receiving their guests, among whom were army and navy officers and their wives and well-known society matrons and maids, by Mrs. Henry G. Trout and Mrs. E. J. Burt.

Presiding in the dining room were Mrs. George Andrews, Mrs. Leggett, Mrs. McKen, Mrs. Butler Price, Mrs. Rock, Mrs. Charles Walcott, Mrs. Albert Stewart, Mrs. William Corcoran, Mrs. Eaton



MISS MARGARET VECHTEL.
The Attractive Young Daughter of Capt. and Mrs. Vechtel, Who Is Being Extensively Entertained by Her Friends.

Edwards, Mrs. Porter, Mrs. Winston, and Mrs. Charles B. Hoppin. Others assisting were Miss Marie Peary, Miss Dorothy Wyeth, the Misses Merriam, Miss Helen Heyl, Miss Helen Kimmell, Miss Katherine Krug, Miss Esther Whiting, Miss Katherine Andrews, and Miss Esther Foote.

The receiving party and additional friends were entertained at an informal supper and dance after the tea.

Marquise Clara Lanza, di Brolo was hostess yesterday afternoon at an informal reception at her apartment in 11 Street in compliment to her son and daughter-in-law, Dr. and Mrs. Anthony Lanza, who have just arrived in Washington to spend the winter. Mrs. Daniel Smith Gordon assisted in receiving the guests.

Representative and Mrs. John N. Garner, of Texas, entertained at dinner last night at their apartment at the Burlington.

Miss Lorraine Sommers has sent out invitations to a dance at the Washington Suburban Club December 21.

Gen. Dainmelfeld Parker, of Chevy Chase, has issued invitations to a dinner at his residence in Chevy Chase, December 21, in honor of his grandnephew and niece, Dr. and Mrs. Anthony Lanza.

The Assistant Secretary of the Navy and Mrs. Henry Brockenridge will give a dinner Wednesday night in honor of Miss Eleanor Wilson.

Mrs. Gus Wallerstein is spending some time in New York with friends.

Mrs. Stephen B. Kline will entertain at a dinner on Thursday evening in compliment to Cardinal Gibbons.

Dr. John C. Briscoe entertained at a theater and supper party last night for Miss Margaret Britton, debutante daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Britton.

Miss Lillian Harris reached the city Thursday last from New York, and is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Phil King.

Mrs. Buckner Randolph was hostess at a delightful tea yesterday afternoon at her residence in B street in compliment to Mrs. Charles Hamlin, the popular wife of the Assistant Secretary of the Treasury.

Mrs. Thomas Bayard and Miss Riggs presided at the tea table, and the prettily decorated rooms were filled with members of the Diplomatic Corps and smart society.

Among the guests were Lady Cecil Spring-Rice, Mrs. Oliver Wendell Holmes, Mrs. Charles E. Hughes, Mrs. Joseph Lamar, Mrs. Franklin K. Lane, Mrs. William C. Redfield, the Minister of Norway and Mme. Bryn, the Minister of Peru and Mme. Pez, the Minister of Urugu, and Mme. de Pena, the Military Attache of the Spanish Embassy and Senora Dona Luisa Drumen de Uretillo, the Military Attache of the Russian Embassy and Mme. Golejovsky, Mr. de Sartiges and Viscount d'Arx, of the French Embassy; Mme. Christian Happe, Mrs. Pryce Phillips, Miss Elias, Mrs. Alexander Legare, Mrs. Hegeman, Mrs. Nathaniel Francis, Miss Helen Valcott, Mrs. Brown Miller, Mrs. N. S. Lincoln, Mrs. Thatcher, of Boston; Miss Sarah Lee, Mrs. George McLanahan, Mrs. Robert Hollister Chapman, Mrs. Walter Tuckerman, Mrs. Thomas Clayton, Mrs. Arnold Hague, and Mrs. William Kidd. Mrs. Calderon, Carlisle, Mrs. Walter Brude Howe, Mrs. John McGowan, Miss Anna McGowan, Mrs. Arthur Lee, Mr. William Bowie Clark, Dr. Edward E. Morse, Miss McGowan, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Mathewson, Mr. and Mrs. von Loon, Dr. Ernest Baumann, of the Swiss Legation; Mrs. William Crozier, Mr. Antonio de Gueffroy, Mrs. Hansen Jennings, Miss Coleman, Mrs. Nathan Sargent, and Miss Elsie Sargent.

Mrs. Eugene Schwab is spending ten days in New York with friends.

Invitations are out for a dance to be given by the Excelsior Club December 21.

Dr. and Mrs. Cary Langhorne, Mr. and Mrs. Randall Webb, and Col. and Mrs.

The Dances for Miss Rose

Miss Ethel Rose, who will be presented to Washington society by her mother, Raucher's, December 21, at the dance at her home in Vassar College December 21.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Luckett have returned to the city after spending a short time in New York.

The members of the Princeton Triangle Club, the dramatic organization of Princeton University, will arrive in Washington next Sunday, and on Monday afternoon at the Belasco Theater will produce their new play, "The Pursuit of Priscilla."

The members of the club are to be extensively entertained during their two days' visit in Washington, Sunday afternoon a reception in their honor is to be given by Mrs. Joseph Pierce, Jr.

Mr. Charles Henry Butler will have a buffet breakfast for them. Immediately after the performance Monday afternoon the club will attend the dance, which is to be given at the New Willard for the benefit of the Working Boys' Home.

Monday night the Princeton Alumni Association of Washington will hold a smoker in honor of the Triangle Club at the University Club. Mrs. Mahlon Pitney and Mrs. Joseph W. Pitney have some of the members of the Triangle Club as their house guests during the club's stay in Washington. Mr. Justice Pitney being the president of the District of Columbia Alumni Association, and Mr. Joseph W. Pitney, Jr., a member of the Triangle Club.

Invitations are out for a dance to be given at Harvey's tomorrow evening in honor of Miss Lenora Lippman, of Newark.

The dancing tea for the Working Boys' Home at the New Willard on the afternoon of Monday, December 22, promises to be a great success, both socially and financially.

Mrs. H. H. Corbin will preside at the tea table, and the most popular and prettiest of this and last year's buds will serve as a floor committee. The Princeton Triangle Club is to attend, after their performance that afternoon, and the Meyer-Davis Orchestra will furnish the music. Numbers of parties have already been formed and many tickets have been sold.

Mrs. Bertha Coblentz has returned to the city from Boston, where she spent several weeks, the guest of Mrs. Paul Coblentz.

Dance for Hospital

The dance tomorrow night at Raucher's for the free wards of the Columbia Hospital is given under the auspices of the board of lady visitors of that hospital. It promises to be a great success in every way, and the tickets have gone like hot cakes among the ultra-fashionable smart set.

Among the many prominent club men who will serve on the floor committee are: Pay Director Lawrence Heap, chairman; Dr. Ralph Jenkins, Col. Frank Denney, Paymaster General Cowie, U. S. N.; Mr. Seale Bloomer, Surgeon General Stokes, U. S. N.; Mr. O. P. Preston, Mr. Nathan C. Wyeth, Commander Chester Wells, U. S. N.; Gen. Henry Allen, U. S. A.; Maj. Herbert Wipple, Surg. Robert M. Kennedy, U. S. N.; Mr. Spencer Gordon, Mr. George Howland Chase, Mr. Marcus Jordan, Commander Theodore Jewell, Mr. Charles Bradley, Dr. Cary Langhorne, Mr. Arthur Lee, Col. Thomas Wood, U. S. M. C.; Mr. Walter Tuckerman, Mr. Chauncey Hackett, Mr. Frank Hyatt, Mr. Ross Perry, Jr., Surg. Frank Pleadwell, Mr. Franklin Ellis, Mr. Walter Whitcox, Mr. James Hopkins, Mr. Hubert Hingham, Mr. W. J. Flather, Mr. Arthur Addison, Surg. Robert E. Ledbetter, Paymaster Merritt, Mr. John Calvert, Mr. Denlap, Mr. Robert Eilore, Mr. Perry Johnson,

Mr. Anthony Addison, Dr. Kay, Dr. E. F. Parker, Dr. Sterling Ruffin, and Mr. Shridger Jordan.

The members and officers of the board of lady managers of Columbia Hospital are Mrs. Henry W. Fitch, president; Mrs. Charles Poor, vice president; Mrs. MacMurray, secretary; Miss Anna E. Abbott, treasurer; Miss Abercrombie, Mrs. Henry T. Allen, Mrs. Charles Bradley, Mrs. Braslow, Mrs. Frank S. Bright, Mrs. C. M. Chester, Mrs. Cooley, Mrs. Dunlop, Mrs. Robert Eilore, Mrs. Grady, Mrs. Lawrence Heco, Mrs. Harris, Miss M. I. Lawrence, Mrs. William Marshall, Mrs. Brown Miller, Mrs. Moore, Mrs. John Newbold, Mrs. Newgarlen, Mrs. Pleadwell, Mrs. Rixey, Mrs. George Shibus, third; Miss Julia Peck, Mrs. William Sinclair, Mrs. Snow, Mrs. Tallaferra, Miss Waller, Mrs. Toland, Mrs. Chester Wells, Mrs. Weaver, and Mrs. Nathaniel Wilson.

The Washington Suburban Club entertains its members this evening at a country dance.

Miss Eugene Lischutz, of the Central High School, has moved from 1615 Kilbourne place to the Kenesaw apartment house, Sixteenth and Irving streets.

Mr. and Mrs. Simon Kann entertained at a dinner dance Wednesday evening at the Playhouse.

Democratic Women Meet

The executive board of the Women's National Democratic League, Mrs. William A. Cullip, of Indiana; Mrs. Edward T. Taylor, of Colorado; Mrs. John E. Baker, of California; Mrs. Randolph E. Hopkins, of this city; Mrs. Mary C. Adams, of Virginia; Mrs. J. Charles Linticum, of Maryland; and Mrs. C. C. McChord, of Kentucky, have issued a general invitation to resident members of the league to attend an informal reception at Congress Hall Tuesday evening, December 16, from 8:30 to 11 o'clock.

Mr. Levy, who spent a few days in the city during the last week, has returned to his home in Philadelphia.

Society is taking a deep interest in the dance which will be given on Saturday afternoon, December 27, from 4 until 7 o'clock in the New Willard ballroom for the benefit of the National Junior Republic.

Miss Genevieve Clark has already engaged a number of tables for a party of young friends.

The list of patronesses includes Mrs. E. T. Stotesbury, of Philadelphia; Mrs. John Hay, Mrs. Franklin K. Lane, Mrs. Albert S. Burleson, Mrs. Lamar, Mrs. Petzel, Mrs. Junius MacMurray, Mrs. Brockbridge Bayne, Mrs. Charles J. Bell, Mrs. Montgomery Blair, Mrs. Murray Cobb, Mrs. J. William Henry, Mrs. Howard, Mrs. Robert Roosevelt, Mrs. Louis Leir, Mrs. Lawrence Heap, Mrs. William Barrett Ridgely, Mrs. Royal R. Bradford, Mrs. William Corcoran, Mrs. John A. Archibald, Mrs. Neale, Mr. Horace Westcott, Mrs. Nelson Edward Perin, Mrs. Baldwin, Mrs. Joseph E. Thorpe, Mrs. Henry Allen, Mrs. Calvin, Mrs. Alexander Britton, Mrs. Young, Mrs. Victor Kaufman, Miss Genevieve Clark, Mrs. Randolph Heco, Mrs. Henry, Miss Solomon, Mrs. Sinclair Bowen, Miss Harriet Douglas, Mrs. Philip Henry, Mrs. F. E. Beatty, Mrs. Leonard Baum, Mrs. Callahan, J. Mitchell, Mrs. E. F. Andrews, Mrs. Edward St. John Greble, Miss Emilie Pritch, Mrs. Chester Wells, Mrs. Charles Doughton Wood, and Mrs. James Dudley Morgan.

Miss Louise Kline has returned to her home in the city after spending several weeks in Philadelphia with friends.

Mrs. John Hewing gave a tea yesterday from 5 until 7 o'clock in compliment of the newly appointed Commissioner of Patents and Mr. Thomas Ewing, Jr. Palm, ferns, and yellow and white chrysanthemums formed the decorations for the occasion, and Mrs. Albert L. Mills and Miss Barney presided at the tea table.

Miss Dorothy Trout will give a dance December 21, in compliment to the West Point cadets who will be here for the holidays.

Invitations have been issued for the marriage of Miss Kate Dunlop, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Rice Willett, and Mr. Harry Clifton Ryce, on Saturday, December 21, at 4 o'clock, at 2115 First street.

Mrs. Conger Entertains

Mrs. Charlotte Conger entertained at an informal tea for young people yesterday afternoon at 5 o'clock, in her apartment at the Cordova, in compliment to her daughter, Mrs. Fitch, wife of Lieut. A. W. Fitch, who is now at the Naval Observatory until his ship is ready for sea duty. Miss Harriet Conger assisted her mother in receiving the guests.

Invitations have been sent out by Mrs. R. W. Hawkesworth and Mrs. M. P. Groner to the dance to be given at the New Willard Hotel, every Tuesday and Friday afternoon, beginning this week from 4 until 7 o'clock, under the patronage of Mrs. Lawrence Heap, Mrs. J. Brockbridge Bayne, Mrs. Glad Blair, Mrs. Montgomery Blair, Mrs. Delos A. Blodgett, Mrs. John M. Bliddle, Mrs. Edward Burr, Mrs. Thomas A. Clayton, Mrs. Frank Lee Denny, Mrs. Thompson Ewing, Mrs. Marshall Field, Mrs. Preston Gibson, Mrs. J. Borden Hartman, Mrs. Hittelman, Mrs. Rockwood Hoar, Mrs. Charles B. Hovey, Mrs. John A. Johnston, Mrs. William J. Bailey Lamar, Marquise Lanza, Mrs. Charles G. Matthews, Mrs. W. Duncan McKim, Mrs. Benjamin Micou, Mrs. Edward A. Mitchell, Mrs. J. Upshur Moorhead, Mrs. Henry May, Mrs. William Stuart Ryburn, Mrs. William Harriet Ridgely, Mrs. C. Peyton Russell, Miss M. J. Sherrill, Mrs. Slater, Mrs. Stephen L. Slocum, Mrs. E. Hunt Slater, Mrs. T. de Witt Talmage, Mrs. Townsend, Mrs. John W. Weeks, and Mrs. John Wilkins.

Miss Wilma Winn and Ernest Evans will give exhibition dances on the opening day and fortnightly.

Mrs. Hawkesworth and Mrs. Groner inaugurated the afternoon dance last Tuesday in New York, first at the McAlpin, and afterward at the Plaza, and they attained an immediate success.

Mr. Morton Goldensberg has returned to his home in Baltimore from a short visit to friends in the city.

The board of trustees of Neighborhood House will have an "at home day" at 70 N. street southwest tomorrow afternoon from 2 to 10 o'clock, and opens its doors to all friends of social and industrial settlement work, as well as of the House of Play, 85 M. street southwest, where tea and refreshments likewise will be served.

The latter is in charge of Mrs. Gibson Gardner and Mrs. John J. White, while at Neighborhood House different members of the board of trustees and others will receive, including Miss Genevieve Clark, Mrs. Charles J. Bell, Mrs. Thomas Bravley, Mrs. Joseph E. Davis, Mr. George E. Fleming, Mrs. John C. Tremain, Mrs. and Mrs. Gibson Gardner, Miss Amyrill Gillett, Miss Gregory, Miss Clara Evans Trump, Miss Clinton, Mrs. John T. White, Mrs. Virginia Hen-

rick, Mrs. Dreyfus Barry, Mrs. Archibald Hopkins, Mr. and Mrs. Norton M. Little, Mrs. J. C. Longacre, Mrs. Logan W. Page, Mrs. Philip Henry, Mr. Cuno H. Rudolph, Miss Mary Stewart, Miss Sophie Rieker, and Mrs. Walter Tucker-

man. Special features of interest will be the "model house" in Houston place, presented over by Miss Vintner and Mrs. Logan Waller Page; exhibits of industrial work, some children's classes in season, and the dressmaking school, which is to announce the day following the public schools in sewing, repairing, and dressmaking.

The many friends of Miss Corinne Berman are interested in her marriage to Mr. Arthur Nattans, both of Baltimore.

Mrs. Harriet L. Harbert entertained at a little flag evening last week in honor of Master Edward Harry Hay, Little Edward, who is only six years old, is the grandnephew of former President Hayes, his mother, formerly Miss Mitchell, having been often in the White House during her uncle's incumbency. This little fellow has taken much interest in visiting the White House, where he saw a portrait of his distinguished uncle and aunt, also in visiting the President's room at the Capitol and other places where it is known that President Hayes was fond of going.

The entertainment of the evening was given by Mrs. Isabel Worrell Ball, who gave a talk on the flag and illustrated it with nearly 100 bunting flags. Little Edward, deeply interested in the flag, with colored pencils drew some of the flags and presented them to Mrs. Ball. Among the guests invited were Miss Barney, Miss Smith, Mrs. Thompson, Miss Smit, Miss Hart, Miss Downey, Miss Smit, Miss Sargent, Mrs. Reeves, Mrs. Briggs, the Misses Cutter, Mr. James Briggs, Mr. Lowenstein, Edward Barry Heyl, Miss Jones, Miss Sims, Mr. Jesse Langley, Mrs. Baden, Mrs. Borland, Miss Borland, Mrs. Laughlin, Miss Pritchard, and Mrs. John Miller Horton.

The Misses Gladys and Lucille Lowenberg have returned to their home in Norfolk after visiting friends here.

Mrs. Weaver Is Hostess

One of the most delightful of the early winter dances was given by Mrs. George A. Weaver, 2923 Wisconsin avenue northwest, Thursday the 11th, in honor of her daughter, Lieut. Theodore Barnes, Jr., U. S. A., who left Saturday night for Fort Bliss, Tex., where his regiment, the Fifteenth cavalry, is stationed. Among those invited were Misses Dorothy Toombs, Kathleen Anderson, Maitland Piper, Doris Moore, Nellie Clara Howard, Florence Piper, Dorothy Shuey, Lanette Smith, Roberta Ames, Helen McCumber, Ethel Foster, Edythe McQuade, Dorothy Smith, Helen Hendrick, Bonnie Barnes, Mabel Barnes, Florence Schneider, Temple Barnes, Marjorie Moore, Pauline Lockett, Elizabeth McCartney, Olive Willis, Mrs. Harold Parmelee, Mrs. Benjamin Woodruff, Lieut. Annin, Lieut. Hospital, Lieut. Parker, Lieut. Malison, Lieut. Talbot, Mr. Brewer, Mr. A. Howard, Mr. Jones, Mr. Block, Mr. Delbert, Mr. F. Howard, Mr. Russell, Mr. Hugh Sum, Mr. Irving Baum, Mr. Callahan, Mr. David, Mr. Blackley, Mr. McKnew, Mr. T. Howard, Mr. J. Abbott, Mr. Cramp-ton, Mr. Kurtz, Mr. Morgan, Mr. McCallum, Mr. Murphy, Mr. C. Abbott, Mr. McLean, Mr. L. Weaver, and Mr. B. W. Woodruff.

Mrs. Patten, wife of Representative Patten, entertained at a luncheon yesterday in the palm room of the New Willard. The table was attractively decorated with chrysanthemums. The guests were Miss Genevieve Clark, the Misses

Burleson, Miss Burdock, Miss Latimer, Miss Sweet, and Miss Smith.

Mr. Paul M. Waring, of New York, is at the New Willard.

Mrs. C. R. E. Pridgen and Miss Maud Arbell, of Detroit, Mich., are at the New Willard.

Former Representative and Mrs. J. Van Vochten Olcott, of New York City, are staying at the New Willard.

Mr. John Philip Sousa, Jr., has joined his father at the New Willard for a short visit.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Cunningham arrived in Washington from Singapore, on Saturday and are at the Hotel Powhatan.

Mrs. G. W. Knowlton and Miss Knowlton, of Watertown, N. Y., are at the Hotel Powhatan.

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Carpenter, of Chicago, are registered at the Hotel Powhatan.

CHEVY CHASE.

Judge J. Wilmer Latimer and family are at Atlantic City.

Mr. and Mrs. John L. Ridgway entertained for their card club last evening. Miss Elsie McCubbin has returned from a visit to Richmond, Va.

Mr. J. Melville Sanderson will arrive Tuesday to be the guest of his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Sanderson, for the Christmas holidays, Mr. Sanderson attends the V. P. I.

Mr. and Mrs. Adolph A. Hoehling entertained at an informal dance last Wednesday evening.

GEORGETOWN.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wood have opened their Q street home for the winter.

Miss Mollie Lightfoot, of Richmond, was the recent guest of Miss Mary Ball.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Nicholson entertained at an informal dance Wednesday evening at the Cumberland Club. Mr. and Mrs. Harris Crist, of Brooklyn, N. Y., were the guests of honor.

Mayor C. C. Williams, of Watertown, Mass., is the guest for a few days, of his mother and sisters, in the Kanawha.

The Georgetown assembly dance, which took place last Monday evening, was a most brilliant affair. The next dance will be December 2.

Mrs. Ranky Bacon and her infant daughter are the guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh T. Taggart.

Miss Nellie C. Howard will give a tea dance Friday, in compliment to her husband, Mr. Howard, who is now at the Naval Observatory.

Mrs. M. C. Cobb, of New York, arrived Friday and will be the guest of her daughter, Mrs. James Young, for ten days.

The many friends of Lieut. Theodore Barnes, Jr., who has been assigned to the Fifteenth Cavalry, stationed at Fort Bliss, Tex., will regret to know he left our city yesterday to join his regiment.

The Stella Dramatic Club, of Holy Trinity, presented "At the Junction," by C. S. Bird, and "The Woe of Wilhelmina," by T. L. Marble, on Tuesday and Wednesday evenings in Trinity Hall. Under the direction of Miss Sue H. Murry the following characters were pleasingly given: "At the Junction," Jack Sharp, a prospective heir, Mr. William J. Barron; Percy Keen, his friend, Mr. Celestine T. Hayes; Jotham Spotts, station agent at the junction; Mr. Joseph H. Howard; Fannie Quick, a prospective heiress, Miss Margaret M. Fisher; Clara Cuts, her friend;

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